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INFORMATION NETWORK

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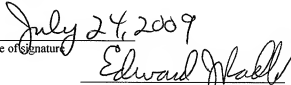
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Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56 and §1.97-§1.98, Applicants hereby submit references which they believe may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose.

These references are set forth on the attached Form PTO 1449 (modified). All the references are U.S. patent references; therefore, copies are not provided. The undersigned became aware of the listed references within the past three months.

One reference is a Notice of Allowance from a related U.S. patent application that has been published. As this item is from a published patent application, Applicants believe that no copies of any documents are required to support this citation. Applicants are bringing this Notice of Allowance to the attention of the Examiner pursuant to McKesson Information Solutions v. Bridge Medical, 487 F.3d 897 (Fed. Cir. 2007).

While the references disclosed in this Information Disclosure Statement may be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.56, submission of this IDS is not intended to constitute an admission that said references are "prior art" for this invention.

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This IDS is being submitted after the mailing of at least one Office Action but before the mailing of a final Office Action. We are enclosing the required fee of \$180.00 set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or to charge any deficiency in any required fee to Deposit Account No. 07-1445.

Respectfully submitted,

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